

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
TRANSPORTATION/CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION
AGENDA NO. 07-09-18**

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Commission Meeting: September 18, 2007, 9:00 a.m.

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9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling (Commission Conference Room – No Web Audio Feed)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. Exempt Staff and Utility Engineer Pay Raises (Staci)

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. T-07.40.OTSC (Wayne)
Garbage, Inc., Havre, Montana, PSC No. 4383, received an extension of time to file their 2006 Annual Report. That extension was up on June 15, 2007. Attempts to contact the carrier have been unsuccessful and an Order to Show Cause as to why the authority should not be cancelled for failure to file the required report was issued and sent to them on August 15, 2007 by certified mail. That document was returned as unclaimed.

Class D - Garbage, refuse, waste, scrap, salvage, rubbish, trash, junk, offal and debris between all points and places between the Havre City limits and the outer boundaries of the Rural Garbage District surrounding the City of Havre, so long as said area does not exceed a ten (10) mile radius of the City of Havre, Montana in Hill County, Montana (for industrial, commercial and residential use).

SUB A Class D - Trash and refuse, serving all points on U.S. Highway 232 between Havre, Montana, and the Canadian Border Station, including service on the Havre Air Force Base road and all points within two (2) miles of either side of U.S. Highway 232.

SUB B Class D - Garbage between all points and places within the City of Havre, Montana. Limitations: Transportation is restricted to that authorized in advance and in writing by the City of Havre, Director of Public Works. Copy of the written authorization must be carried in the power unit of the motor carrier at the time the service is provided and must be provided to the PSC upon request.

SUB C Class D - Garbage, limited to materials from demolition or construction projects, between all points and places in Blaine, Choteau, and Hill counties. Limitations: (1) Transportation within the city limits of Harlem and the area within the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation is prohibited. (2) In Choteau County, service is limited to Northeastern Chouteau County, specifically described as that portion of Chouteau County located north of the Missouri River, east of a line starting at Virgelle and following the westerly road between Virgelle and U.S. Highway 87, then following U.S. Highway 87 north to Montana Highway 432, then following Montana Highway 432 west and north until it intersects with the Hill County boundary. (3) Transportation of normal household waste is prohibited. (4) Use of waste disposal containers or drop boxes of less than 13 cubic yards is prohibited. (5) Transportation is limited to waste materials from the specific demolition or construction project site(s) for which the waste disposal container is provided. (6) Carrier is allowed to transport authorized commodities to certified landfills from territory authorized.

SUB D Class D – Garbage and refuse between all points and places in Hill County, Montana. Carrier is allowed to transport authorized commodities to certified landfills from territory authorized. LIMITATIONS: Transportation within the city limits of Havre, Montana is prohibited.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Cancel PSC No. 4383 for failure to file a 2006 Annual Report.

ACTION:

2. TN2361 (Wayne)

Brian David Parks dba Mountain Express Taxi, Missoula, Montana requests permission to suspend PSC No. 9460 for a one month period, August 30, 2007 to September 30, 2007 due to staffing difficulties.

Class B- Passengers between all points and places in Missoula and Ravalli Counties, Montana. LIMITATIONS: 1) Transportation as a limousine is prohibited. 2) Transportation that originates and terminates in Missoula County is prohibited.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approved the suspension as requested

ACTION:

3. Approval of Commission Minutes (Wayne)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of September 10, 2007.

ACTION: